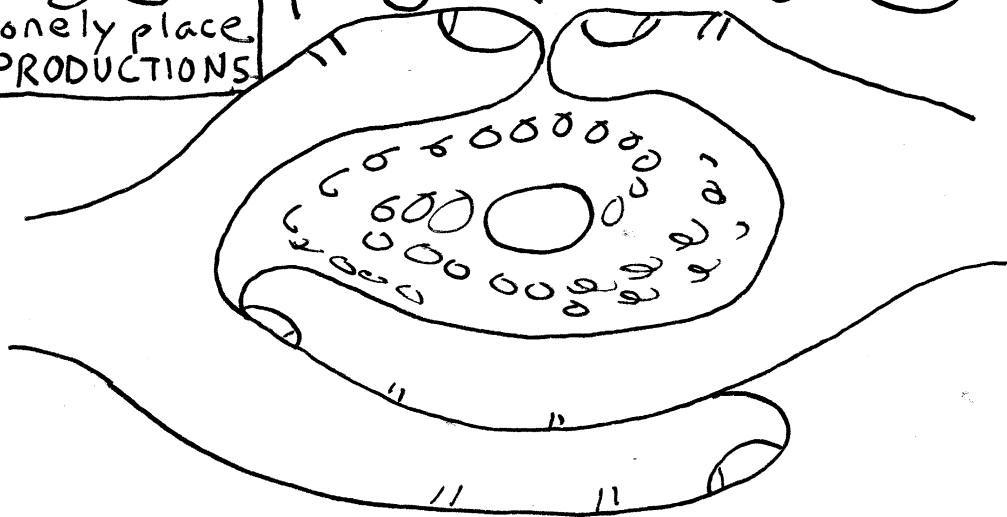


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# MEDITATION FUNNIES



When Yaoshan was sitting in meditation, a monastic asked, "What do you think about as you sit in steadfast composure?"

Yaoshan said, "I think not-thinking."

The monastic said, "How do you think not-thinking?"

Yaoshan said, "Nonthinking."

MEDITATION FUNNIES #11

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I'M NOT QUALIFIED  
TO SAY ANYTHING  
ABOUT MEDITATION



YET YOU  
NEVER  
SHUT UP









WHAT ARE YOU  
NONTHINKING ABOUT?

A PENNY FOR YOUR  
NONTHOUGHTS

NONTINK  
NONTANK  
NONTHUNK

THE DEMON WHO STOPS YOU  
FROM FINISHING ANYTHING



OR SHOWING YOURSELF  
TO ANYONE



EVERY DAY I HAVE TO  
CONVINCE MYSELF  
THAT TAKING CARE  
OF MYSELF  
ACTUALLY  
FEELS GOOD

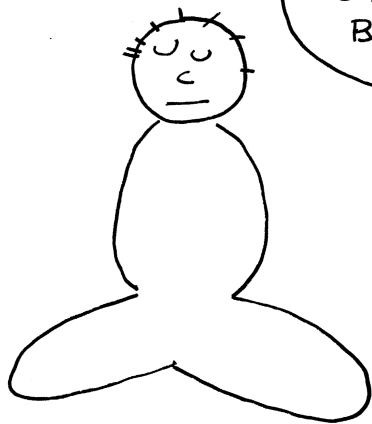
JUST  
CUT YR  
TOENAILS  
ALREADY!



YOU GET USED  
TO EVERYTHING  
SO YOU END UP  
HAVING TO DO  
MORE & MORE OF IT

LUCKY I'M  
UNDISCIPLINED  
SO I DON'T  
HAVE TO WORRY  
ABOUT THAT





SILLY LITTLE  
BAG OF SKIN  
INFLATING YOUR  
SILLY LITTLE  
BAG OF AIR



ONE DAY

WHEN I WAS 16 OR 17

I WAS TOO DEPRESSED TO GO TO SCHOOL  
TOO DEPRESSED TO FACE ANYBODY

AND I DIDN'T KNOW HOW I WAS  
GOING TO CONTINUE LIVING,

I WENT OUT TO THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE  
SMOKT POT AND READ COMIC BOOKS

(IT WAS WHAT KIDS TODAY CALL  
SELF CARE)

AND IN A STONED HAZE  
I HEARD MY HEART WHISPER TO ME



AND THEN I COULD GO ON

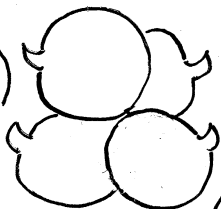
AND NOW WHEN THINGS ARE HARD  
I REMEMBER MY HEART WHISPERING TO ME

I CAN STILL HEAR IT



NEW MINICOMIC: "mom & I"

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OR-DONATE A BUCK TO ANY ABORTION  
AND LET ME KNOW! FUND

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ARE YOU KEEPING  
YOUR MIND STILL?

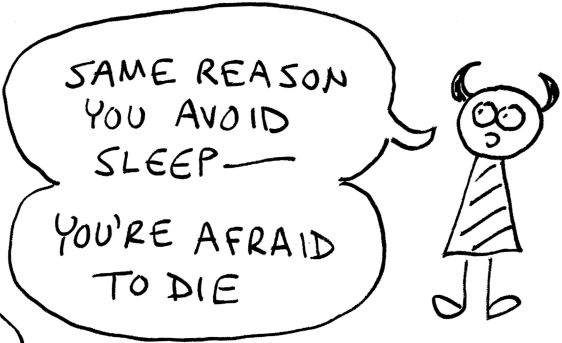
MY MIND  
IS MUCH TOO BUSY  
KEEPING MY  
BODY STILL








WHY DO I AVOID  
MEDITATING?



SAME REASON  
YOU AVOID  
SLEEP—

YOU'RE AFRAID  
TO DIE



DOES \_\_\_\_\_  
READ THESE?

EH, THEY  
PROBABLY JUST  
PUT THEM ON THE  
"TO READ" FILE  
FOREVER

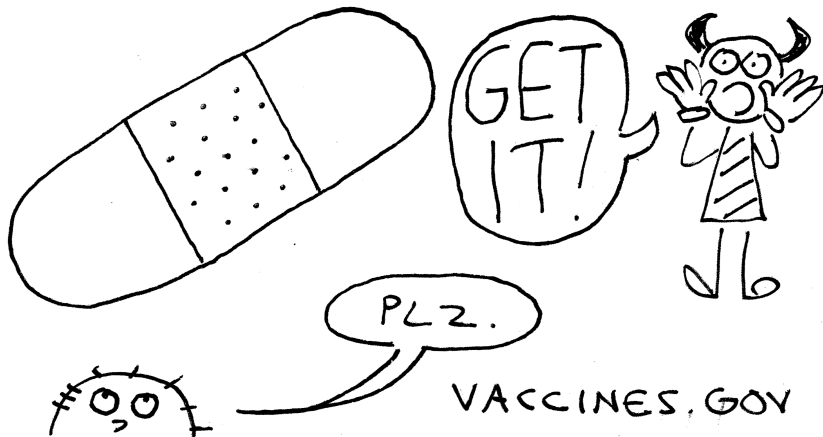


YOU CAN'T REALLY  
FLESH OUT AN IDEA  
IN SINGLE-PANEL FORMAT

THAT'S THE  
BIG  
ADVANTAGE



HAVE U HAD THE  
BIVALENT BOOSTER YET?



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